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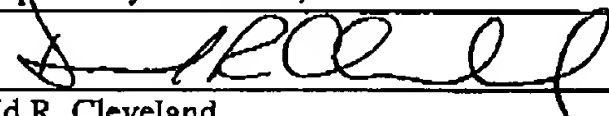

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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims 51 - 20 or HP = 0 **Extra Claims** 0 **Fee (\$)** 0 **Fee Paid (\$)** 0

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

Indep. Claims 9 - 3 or HP = 2 **Extra Claims** 2 **Fee (\$)** 400 **Fee Paid (\$)** 400

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Multiple Dependent Claims

Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)

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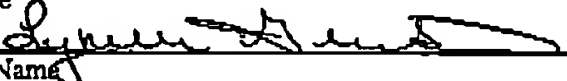
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTIONMail Stop: AF
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Dear Sir:

Introductory Comments

This is in reply to the Final Rejection mailed February 8, 2005. Reconsideration is requested in view of the following remarks. Please amend the application as follows: